

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:		)	
	Atsushi Mori et al.	)	
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For:	OPTICAL FIBER AND PRODUCTION METHOD	)	
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Examiner:	Queenie S. Dehghan	)	

AMENDMENT "B" AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents  
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Examiner:

Applicant submits this paper in response to the Final Office Action mailed June 5, 2009 and in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.